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Docket No.  
SON-2624

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Applicant(s): Katsutoshi Moriyama et al.

Invention: DATA STORAGE CIRCUIT, DATA WRITING METHOD IN THE SAME, AND DATA STORAGE DEVICE

### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.